FHA Observes National Week

March 31 through April 1 has been proclaimed national F.H.A. week. The Future Homemakers of America is a nonprofit youth organization made up of homemaking students in junior and senior high school. Such organizations are found not only in the United States, but also in Alaska, Guam, Hawaii, Puerto Rico, and the Virgin Islands. The F.H.A. organization is dedicated to the promotion of good home and community life. Over half a million members in nearly 11,000 chapters are working toward four objectives:

1. Discovering myself and my worth to others.
2. Contributing to the joys and satisfactions of family living.
3. Launching good citizenship through homemaking.
4. Strengthening my education for future roles, which is the main objective this year of the Appomattox chapter.

Various activities were planned for the week and were carried out with great success. To get an early start, posters were placed in downtown stores, recognizing F.H. A. week. Each morning of the week, a chapter member also takes charge of morning devotions at school.

Beginning on Sunday, March 31, the local chapter attended Liberty Baptist Church together as a group and were recognized by the pastor. Then, at 6:30 p.m. on channel 13 in Lynchburg, some of the members presented a panel discussion on school dropouts. Those participating on the panel were Merlyn Martin, Cynthia Richardson, Barbara Goin, Jane Williams, Carolyn Coleman and Kathy Bragg.

On Monday, April 1, the officers wore their traditional red and white uniforms to signify the F. H. A. colors and F. H. A. week. Each member was also given a red and white ribbon to wear throughout the week, which helped carry out our program. The eighth grade members also designed a very effective bulletin board which was placed in the school corridors.

Tuesday, April 2, the girls brought and arranged flowers which were placed in the office, library, and school cafeteria with compliments of the F. H. A.

On Wednesday, April 3, the chapter officers visited Hickory Grove rest home here in Appomattox. Homemade cookies and candies were taken to these senior citizens and a short fellowship hour followed this.

Thursday, April 4, immediately after school, the officers entertained the faculty with a tea after which entertainment was provided by the members. Among the entertainment was the singing of the F. H. A. song, which was beautifully done by three of the chapter members.

On Friday, April 5, each F. H. A. member is expected to do something extra special at home for their family. This includes such things as taking over household duties for the day or preparing meals. The program on dropouts will be presented again on radion station WFLO in Farmville, for those of you who were unable to see it on television.

On Saturday, April 6, the last day of F. H. A week, the club members will entertain their little adopted boy, Rusty O'Neil, who is from Lynchburg, with a party at the school. Some of the local children will be invited to create a real party atmosphere for him. Such games as musical chairs and pin the tail on the donkey will be played.

Springfield

"Work out your own salvation with fear and trembling." Phil 2: 12

A large crowd attended funeral services held at the Cannan Baptist Church for Deacon Thomas E. Morgan on Wednesday, March 27th, Robinson's Funeral Directors in charge. Mr. J. E. Morgan was the son of the late Emma Flood Morgan and Philip Morgan, of Appomattox. He was born in Appomattox, 1884. He was a farmer. Also Deacon and treasurer of the Cannan Baptist Church. He is survived by a wife, Mrs. Willie Morgan, a daughter and son-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Richard Wood, of Appomattox, and two grandchildren; three sisters, Mrs. Lillie Evans, Mrs. Cora L. Jones and Mrs. Docia Morgan; two brother-in-laws, Mr. Samuel Morgan and Mr. Charlie Irvins; two sisters-in-law, Mrs. Lannie Morgan and Mrs. Mary Morgan, all of Appomattox and a host of other relatives.

Mrs. Cecelia Lewis and Mrs. Alice Jones visited in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Hubert Pankey Sunday evening. Miss Olivia Pankey has been visiting her mother and father, Mr. and Mrs. Adolphus Pankey. Miss Pankey left Monday for Cleveland, Ohio, where she has a position.

Mr. William Percy Pankey, of Baltimore visited Mr. Hubert Pankey, last Friday.

Mrs. Bertha Pankey is home feeling much better and looking better. We hope Mrs. Pankey will soon be fine and active.

We are glad to see these beautiful spring days.

after which refreshments will be served by the F. H. A. members.

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Visitors in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Fred Matthes over the week end were Mrs. Linda Brookes Wiseman, and daughter, Terry Lynn of Wisconsin, also, Mr. and Mrs. Duval Brooks and Cinda Brooks.

Mr. and Mrs. Bob Matthes, we are sorry to hear that Mr. Bob Matthes is leaving to go to College Park, Maryland.

Guests in the home of Mrs. Clara Cumby and Ed Cumby over the week end were Mrs. Kate Kurtz, of Lynchburg, and Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Paulette, of Forest.

Visitors in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Bushey were Mr. and Mrs. Ted Aldridge, Church Road Virginia, and Mrs. Bessie Baldwin.

Visitors in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Claude Baldwin were Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Vauner, Mrs. Bettie Nelson and children, Lynn, and Rickie, of Farmville. Also, Mr. and Mrs. Ted Aldridge and children of Church Road, Mrs. Helen Vauner and children, Sonnie and Ronnie, of Hopewell and Miss B. Lewis.

Mr. and Mrs. Sherman visited Mr. and Mrs. Willie Price, Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Franklin and sons, Steve and Kenneth and Baby Sheila visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Riggle, at Emporia, Sunday.

Jordan Church

An appreciative service was held at the Jordan Baptist Church last Sunday night, celebrating the 62nd anniversary of J. H. Jones as Deacon. The sermon was delivered by Rev. Freeman Johnson, of Lynchburg. Special music was rendered by the Mt. Airy Baptist Choir.

Cuban Refugee Speaks April 9

On Tuesday, April 9, the James River Associational Committee on Cuban Resettlement is presenting a program at 7:45 p.m. in Dillwyn Baptist Church.

The program will begin promptly with the showing of the film "The Communist Threat". This thirty minute film shows life in the East and Western sections of Germany and the value and price of freedom.

Rev. Don Givens, pastor of Jefferson Park Baptist Church, Charlottesville, Va., will speak on the Cuban crises and the evacuation needs of the Cuban Refugees now in Miami. Mr. Guy Cooper, chairman of the Missions Committee of that church will explain how their church met this marvelous opportunity for Christian witness and assistance to our Cuban neighbors.

Mr. and Mrs. Candid and their teen - age Gloria, will be presenting a family who fled the land of Cuba and came United States. They have been relocated in Cha through the Jefferson P tist Church.

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The group will tour phosphate mines and plants, citrus experiment stations, the Cypress Gardens in Florida, and a tropical fruit experiment station on their swing through several states.

Liberty Chapel

Mrs. Charles Morgan and Mrs. Paul Thornhill were guests Saturday of Mr. and Mrs. Billy Mills, of Farmville.

Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Thornhill, of Roanoke, and Mrs. Harry White, of Lynchburg, are visiting several days this week in the home of Mrs. Mildred Mann. Other visitors Sunday evening were Mr. and Mrs. Charles Morgan, Mr. and Mrs. Henry Stanley, Wayne and Ralph, Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Thornhill, Mr. and Mrs. Sam Thornhill, Mr. and Mrs. Paul Thornhill and Donnie Thornhill.

Recent visitors in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Preston Coleman were Mr. and Mrs. Percy Garrette, Mr. and Mrs. Tom Moore and Mr. and Mrs. Ed Eubank.

Those attending the Sunday School convention from Liberty Chapel that was held Sunday at Fitzgerald Baptist Church in Cumberland were Mr. and Mrs. Joe Megginson and family, Mr. and Mrs. Sam Thornhill, Mrs. Bertha Booker and Mrs. Lillian Hatcher.

Mrs. Lonnie Reynolds spent last Thursday in Lynchburg as guest of Mr. and Mrs. Martin Coleman and Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Reynolds.

Union Service At Galilee Baptist

An appreciative crowd attended the the semi-annual session of the East and West Bound Sunday School Union Sunday, March 31 at the Galilee Baptist Church School. The union service began at 10 a.m. with the Sunday School lesson. The following persons taught, Mrs. D. A. Jones, Adult class,; Supt. H. L. Allen, the Young People class and Miss Jane Walker the Primary class. The morning session began at 11:15 with devotionals conducted by the president and the Galilee Junior Choir. The welcome address was given by Supt. Allen and the response was given by Mr. James Carter of the Gravel Hill Sunday School. After the reading of the minutes and Sunday School letters and the appointment of committees the Rev. H. W. Pryor and his Senior Choir from the Mount Airy Baptist Church was presented. The Rev. Pryor delivered a soul stirring sermon from the subject: "Waiting on God". All present enjoyed the message.

The afternoon session began at 2:15. The devotionals were led by Deacon W. A. Jones. The Bible quiz was conducted by Mrs. O. W. Smith. The youth program was enjoyed by all. A total of $76.50 was reported for the day. $60.75 was left with the home school. The committee on new schools reported one new school seeking membership. The Springfield Church Sunday School of Appomattox was given the right hand of fellowship into the union. The next session will be with the Mount Pleasant School of Hixburg.

An overflow crowd attended the the ordaination service of two deacons for the Mount Airy Baptist Church last Sunday evening at 3 p.m. Nine churches were represented. The sermon was delivered by Dr. J. P. Rose. The charge to the deacons was given by Deacon McKinley Lewis. The Rev. J. W. Paige gave the charge to the church. The Rev. G. W. Bolden offered the ordaination prayer. Special music was rendered by the Mount Airy Jr. Choir. The offering was lifted by the newly ordained deacons. Remarks were given by the pastor of the church and the Rev. R. Q. Lawing. The Rev. C. L. Elliott served as master of ceremony. The Rev. J. W. McClendon served as catechizer.

The local chapter of New Farmers of America took an active part in the tool identification contest at the Campbell County High School last Wednesday at 1 p.m. The following counties took an active part: Appomattox, Amherest, Buckingham, Bedford Campbell and Albermarle. The local chapter was represented by James Humbles and Lawrence Jones. James Humber of the Carver Chapter was second place in the tool identification contest.

The Promise Land Baptist Church will conduct Easter Sunrise service this Easter. All local churches are invited to attend.

The annual Union Easter service will be held at the Mount Shiloh Baptist Church this Easter at 11:30 a.m. Members and Friends of the Galilee, Promise Land and Mount Shiloh will worship together. Special music will be rendered by each choir.

The public is cordially invited to attend the regular preaching services at the Galilee Baptist Church this Sunday at 11:30 a.m.

The Galilee Church Junior Choir and pastor will render special service at the Union Hill Baptist Church in Buckingham this coming Sunday evening at 7:30 p.m. Members and friends of the church are cordially invited to accompany the choir and pastor.

Spring Weather Brings Rash Of Forest Fires

Spring weather, warm and windy, brought a rash of fires to Southside Virginia's forestland during the past week. Virginia Division of Forestry officials at the Division's Farmville District office say that brush and trash burning fires are escaping quickly and spreading rapidly. Several fires escaped from children playing with matches and several from carless smokers.

Foresters are quick to caution that any burning operation should be carefully watched and completely extinguished before fires are left. The 4 p.m. Burning Law is still in effect between the hours of 4 p.m. and midnight. Fires should not be set even after 4 p.m. if the weather is warm and windy, forest warden advise.

Forestry personnel say that while statistics on escaped fires are still incomplete, 28 forest fires burned 140 acres, during the past week. Foresters urge that good judgement be used to reduce fire losses.

Richwood

Mr. James Cordell and Wayne Ferguson visited friends and relatives in Tennessee Saturday and Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Horace L. Martin and sons of Virginia Beach, spent the week end in the home of Mr. and Mrs. H. C. Martin. Visitors in the same home Sunday were Mrs. H. L. Hamlett and children, Mrs. Ruth Cordell, Caroline Cordell, Joel Pugh, Mrs. Troy Blazer and sons and Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Blazer.

Mrs. H. C Martin visited Mrs. J. O. Cobbs and Mrs Troy Blazer Saturday night.

Mrs. Ruth Cordell, Caroline Cordell and Joel Pugh were dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Bobby Bhupe, Sunday.

Mr. James Carter, of Richmond, is visiting his mother, Mrs. Alpha Carter, this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Jimmie Fleshman and daughter visited Mr. and Mrs. Willie Pugh Sunday.

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Wed., April 10 — Fried chicken with gravy, green peas, candied sweet potatoes, cranberry sauce, hot biscuits and butter, ice cream ½ pt. milk.

Thurs., April 11 — Hamburger on bun with mayonnaise or mustard, string beans, potato salad, sheet cake with icing, ½ pt. milk.

Fri., April 12 — Out For Easter.

Ferguson Promoted

CAMP LEJEUNE, N.C. (PHT/NC) — Marine Lance Corporal William C. Ferguson, son of Mr. and Mrs. Jessie E. Ferguson of Route 1, Appomattox, Va., was promoted to the present rank, Feb. 25, while serving with the Third Battalion, Sixth Marine Regiment, an infantry battalion of the Second Marine Division at Camp Lejeune, N.C.

Gerald Phelps On Destroyer

USS W. M. WOOD (FHTNC) — Gerald A. Phelps, ship's serviceman second class, USN, son of Mr. and Mrs. Enid M. Phelps, of Appomattox, Va., is serving aboard the radar picket destroyer USS William M. Wood, a unit of the Atlantic Fleet's Destroyer Squadron 26 which recently returned from Caribbean operations.

The Wood is homeported at Norfolk.

Fleshman Serves On Battalion Team

CARIBBEAN (FHTNC) —Marine Private First Class Robert G. Fleshman, son of Mr. and Mrs. Virgil R. Fleshman of Rt. 1, Appomattox, is serving with Battalion Landing Team 3-6 which is participating in amphibious warfare training in the Caribbean.

The force, part of the Second Marine Division of Camp Lejeune, N.C., is undergoing eight-weeks maneuvers on the island of Vieques, Puerto Rico.

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